

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
REGISTRATION AND FULFILLMENT SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE August 20, 1970

FULL NAME Robert Lydon
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS 374 Dorchester Street (former address 151 W. Sixth St., So. Boston)

CITY South Boston STATE Mass. ZIP CODE 02127

AGE 36 is correct his age on Troop charter is given as 24, Pack charter 36
(This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

RELIGION Was formally Catholic - active in Salvation Army now NATIONALITY unknown

OCCUPATION Some type of Chemical Plant function

EDUCATION unknown

WEIGHT appx 150 COLOR white HEIGHT appx 5'11"

COLOR OF HAIR black (straight*) COLOR OF EYES unknown

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS _____

MARRIED OR SINGLE Married - more than once CHILDREN One to our knowledge, a step son with
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)
the name of Paul Bishop, age 9

WIFE'S NAME Dorothy

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	OFFICE	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
T.208	So. Boston	Mass	SM	1968	present
P.187	Boston	Mass	CM	1969	present
SPECIAL RECOGNITION <u>Neighborhood Commissioner, Boston Council</u>					present

RECOMMENDED FOR CONFIDENTIAL FILE FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

Homosexual activities at Scout camp see attached.

Additional information Was in the Army, stationed in Alaska, active in Scouting there
Was discharged for emotional reasons.

*see attached picture

Signed Thurmond P. [Signature]
Deputy SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Boston 227

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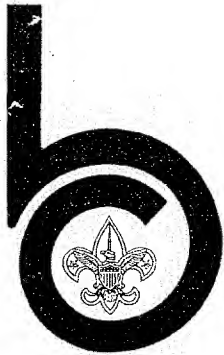
This report was made verbally to Anthony
N Toto, Director of Camping, Boston Council
[redacted] who is a member of the Camp Staff
as well as serving as an ASM in Troop 208 verified
the statements with each boy. *[Signature]*
C.P. Accas, Dep. S.E.

*The following incidents
were reported to me by
the following Scoutmaster
concerning Robert Lyden.*

[redacted] - displayed photo-
graphs of nude males.
[redacted] asked him to disrobe
[redacted] - grabbed his sexual
organs

[redacted]
[redacted] - asked them to go
to bed with him

ASM Troop 208 SB.



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Mr. Earl Krall
Director of Registration Service
National Council
Boy Scouts of America
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

Dear Earl:

We request that you immediately place on the Confidential File Mr. Robert Lydon, currently registered as Scoutmaster of Troop 208, South Boston, of this Council.

The attached report of Homosexual Activities at Adams Pond Scout Reservation is justification of our recommendation.

Please send to me the biographical information form for me to complete so that your records will be accurate.

Mr. Lydon lives at 374 Dorchester Street, South Boston, Massachusetts, and is registered as Scoutmaster of the above-named Troop. To our knowledge, he is married and has two children.

Cordially,

Theodore P. Accas
Deputy Scout Executive



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August 18, 1970

Mr. Ralph Darian
Scout Executive
Boston Council, No. 227

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
Re: Robert Lydon, SM
Troop 208, South Boston

Dear Ralph:

Thank you for your letter of August 13 concerning Robert Lydon, Scoutmaster of Troop 208, South Boston. We have placed this information in our file and have taken steps to have his name deleted from the Troop roster.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we would appreciate your completing and returning to us as soon as possible. This will enable us to identify Mr. Lydon, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely,

Earl L. Krall, Director
Registration and Fulfillment Service

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Enc.

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This report was made verbally to Anthony N Toto, Director of Camping, Boston Council [redacted] who is a member of the Camp Staff, as well as serving as an ASM in Troop 208 verified the statements with each boy.

T. P. Accas, Dep. S.E.

The following incidents were reported to me by the following Scouts concerning Robert Lyden.

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[redacted] grabbed his sexual organs

[redacted] asked them to go to bed with him

As M Troop 208



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Copies TO:

WARRICK
GORMAN
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August 13, 1970

Mr. Robert Lydon
374 Dorchester Street
South Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Lydon:

Please be advised that you can no longer be registered in the Boy Scouts of America in any capacity.

You are hereby requested to return to me, in the attached self-addressed envelope, your current registration cards.

Very truly yours,

Theodore P. Accas
Deputy Scout Executive

REGISTERED NO. 325514

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TO MR. ROBERT LYDON
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RECEIPT FOR REGISTERED MAIL

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